

Happy New Year!

Old Year, farewell! It has slipped into the vistas of the past, bearing with it our joys, hopes and fears, pleasures and profit, loss and gain—burying them all in the sepulchre of Time.

Farewell, Old Year, Farewell! But—Hark!

"Ring out the old, Ring in the new— Ring out the false, ring in the true."

And so we say to our many, many friends

A Happy, Happy New Year

And here's hoping 1907 may have naught but happiness in store for you.

Union Clothing Company

26-28 Charlotte Street (old Y. M. C. A. Bldg.) St. John.

Alex. Corbet, Manager

THE COUNTERSTROKE By AMBROSE PRATT Author of "Vigorous Dams, Billionaire."

It would certainly be necessary to appoint substitutes in the places of the dead men in order to carry on the work of the library...

which he sharply pulled. Two minutes afterwards a knock sounded on the door, and a negro entered the room. He was instantly stunned by a blow from a club, bound and gagged.

Cressingham rang the bell again, and again repeated the process, until eleven of the Count's servants had been thus happily disposed of. Thereafter no answer was vouchsafed his summons.

Leaving the Count d'Atala in charge of the two gentlemen, whom he gave strict orders to shoot the old man should any rescue be attempted, Cressingham then sallied forth at the head of his thirteen remaining comrades to explore the castle room by room.

One of his companions, however, who had lingered among the flowers, called him suddenly, and pointed to a trail of smoke that issued from the rock below the sheer ledge upon which the garden jetted.

Although search was immediately instituted, and this search presently a trap-door was discovered in the floor.

Lamps were again brought into use, and soon they silently commenced the descent.

The Count thrust his knuckles in his eyes and half raised himself. "What is the matter?" he demanded testily.

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Daily Fashion Hint for Times Readers.



THE VERITABLE KIMONO FOR COMFORT.

The really and truly (as the children's phrase hath it) Japanese kimono is a garment of artistic worth as well as solid comfort.

These little brown people have proven, time and again, that they know the best things of life from many standpoints; and, assuredly, when they invented the kimono for their women, they wear it with both convenience and appearance into consideration.

They, who were the first to recognize all of the kimono's many claims to their attention, and for the home and the board, many prefer the veritable Japanese kimono to any other garment for informal wear.

Not that they are cheap or in any way inexpensive, these charming pieces. To begin with, the silk is often times handwoven, and even where the silk is of machine make the embroideries are inevitably and invariably of hand work.

The amount of work, the delicateness of the pattern and the degree to which the plain surface is covered are all points adding to its cost.

The charming one pictured is in a soft bronze shade of green silk, upon which the chrysanthemums in several shades of yellow, the cherry blossoms in white and pale pink, and the little fern sprays in the greens and faint yellowish shades that the natural growth presents are all carried out with fidelity.

The lining is of rose pink silk, and the hem is thickly wadded after the native fashion.

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LITTLE GIRL'S COAT.

The little coat here pictured was of Alice blue cloth, with velvet collar and cuffs to match.

The circular cape over the shoulders was cut in one with the front panel of the coat. The cloth was laid in small box plaits on each side of the front and in the middle of the back.

The gaiters worn were made of the same cloth as the coat, and the hat was of felt, trimmed with a feather pompadour and a band of the velvet.

A quarter of an inch taller. Corbett was the sorest man in Nevada, and that afternoon he jabbed away at Jeff's face until the big fellow's lips were so badly cut that he could hardly eat his dinner.

A. H. Chipman returned yesterday after a business trip to New York. R. B. Hanson, of Fredericton, was at the Royal yesterday.

DOESN'T OVERDO IT. "Don't you think that virtue is its own reward?" "Of course; but I can't help feeling that it generally doesn't overdo it any."

Rheumatism. You do cure the kidneys you will suffer with Rheumatism.

GIN PILLS. Cure Uric Acid Rheumatism by curing the kidneys. They clean and purify the kidneys—make them strong enough to do nature's work as it should be done.

Our new premises are completed and an entirely new stock of goods is ready for our patrons.

Orders will be filled immediately upon receipt and every endeavor will be made to give complete satisfaction to all.

We are headquaters for all that is best in Drugs, Patent Medicines Toilet Articles Druggists Sundries, Etc.

Give the CANADIAN DRUG CO. your business and be assured of high-quality of goods and prompt service.

Address all correspondence to THOMAS GIBBARD, Manager

The Canadian Drug Co., Ltd. 70-2 Prince William St. P. O. Box 871 St. John, N. B.

FIGHTERS ARE VAIN

They Like to Gaze Into the Mirror at All Times—Are Always Trying to See Themselves as Other Folk See Them.

Did you ever see a fighter looking into a mirror? Well, the average fighting man has more vanity in his makeup than a woman.

Watch a fighter waiting for a train in the subway. It's funnier than a circus. First, he saunters over carelessly and gets a piece of gum.

He doesn't want that gum any more than you do. All he wants is the chance at the mirror that hangs over the door.

He drops the penny. Why? He is reading the reflection of his cauliflower ear. Leaning closer, he scowls as he inspects it carefully.

Finally, convinced that it will pass for an ear, he straightens his nose with the fingers of his left hand. The result satisfies him and he smiles.

About that time the bell rings. He keeps on counting, is usually petted until he looks upon himself as one of the most perfect works of a wise providence, and he likes to look the part.

The tougher the fighter the more sensitive he is about his appearance. But Nelson isn't a thing of beauty—now. He may have been long ago. But Bat likes to look at himself in the mirror.

Jeff "KIDDED" SHARKEY. Jim Jeffries tried to "kid" Sharkey about his tin ear at Coney Island, but Sharkey is the one fighter who is proud of the badge. Jeff's jibes never touched him.

Philadelphia Jack O'Brien is the vainest man that ever fought. Jack is a hard fighter. When he can cut the other fellow up he takes pride in his work.

The first thing he says after the fight, when you see him in his dressing room, is, "Look at me—not a mark." I told Jack once that his face was beginning to show signs of wear.

He pulled out a pocket mirror and sidestepped over to the nearest window. Seeing an old picture of Terry McGovern printed in a Philadelphia paper just before the fight with Corbett, I fished it out.

When the Hair Falls Stop it! And why not? Falling hair is a disease, a regular disease, and Ayer's Hair Vigor, made from our new improved formula, quickly and completely destroys that disease.

The Question of Absorption is a most important one for bakers, and one which should be seriously considered by all. A strong, rich flour, which absorbs a great deal of water, is more satisfactory, inasmuch as, pound for pound, it will make more bread than a weaker flour, and with less trouble.

Lake of the Woods Milling Co., Limited. Montreal. St. John. Winnipeg.

THE EVENING TIMES, ST. JOHN, N. B., TUESDAY, JANUARY 1, 1907.

NEW YEAR AMONG THE INDIANS

BY WALDON FAWCETT



CHIEF WILLIAMS, ON THE RIGHT, AND LEADING MEN OF THE NEZ PERCE TRIBE OF INDIANS. PHOTO COURTESY BY WALDON FAWCETT.



APACHE INDIANS AND THEIR INTERPRETER.



The World's Most Famous Ruby

Baron Carver, of Lethbridge, England, possesses one of the world's most famous gems in the Carew ruby, a magnificent jewel as large as a hen's egg and far more valuable than a flawless diamond of the same size and purity.

That the American Indians of many different tribes take cognizance of New Year's Day may prove something of a surprise to many a reader who has had an idea that the typical red man, cold and conservative by nature, had scant sympathy for the white man's holiday.

The Sioux, that populous tribe that occupies reservations in the Northwest, notably in the Dakotas, are especially systematic and businesslike in making ready for the midwinter feast.

This is the most complicated and most picturesque of all the religious dramas of the Moki ceremonial calendar year, extending over nine days.

Financial and Commercial

THE ADVANCE IN COOPER

The remarkable yet steady advance of copper through the year just closing seems to be connected in the minds of many keen observers of the market with the legitimate demands of industry under conditions of progress never before paralleled.

A HANDSOME GIFT

William H. Needham Presents Set of Offertory Bags to Mission Church.

FOUGHT TO DRAW

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Dec. 31.—Billy Rhodes, the Kansas City welterweight, found his match in Terry Martin this evening for the best he could do was to secure a 15 round draw with the Philadelphia fighter.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of Charlotte Isabella Ralston, died Dec. 21, 1906; aged 19 years and 4 months.

DEATHS

CRAIG—In Carleton, on the 31st inst., Ralston Craig, leaving a wife and 2 children, mother and one brother, to mourn their loss.

SHIPPING

Table with columns: Date, Ship Name, Destination, Agent.

PORT OF ST. JOHN

Arrived yesterday: Behr Ann Louisa Lockwood (Am), 266, Capt. S. J. H. Scammell & Co., Bal.

Arrived today: St. Rose Head, 1,679, Campbell, from Port Talbot, G. B.; Wm Thompson & Co., Bal.

Cleared today: St. Rose Head, 1,688, Pickford, for Dublin; Wm Thompson & Co., wheat and meal.

DOMINION PORTS

Halifax, Dec. 29—Arr. steamers Benwick, Sid 31—St. John's, McKinnon, St. John's.

BRITISH PORTS

Liverpool, Dec. 31—Arr. star Ionian, St. John; Mianca, Halifax via Queenstown.

FOREIGN PORTS

Monte Video, Dec. 31—Arr. star Pandolia, Wyman, for Boston.

SAM MARTIN DEAD

Proprietor of Famous New York Cafe Died Suddenly Yesterday.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Samuel W. Martin, proprietor of a well known all-night Broadway restaurant, died suddenly today.

REPORTS AND DISPATCHES

Halifax, Dec. 31—Star Wandana, which has been ashore at Little River, was doused today.

SERIOUS FIRE LAST NIGHT

Building Occupied by A. W. Adams, J. E. Moore and St. John Mercantile Company.

Damaged to Extent of \$10,000.

VESSELS IN PORT

Not Cleared: Almeriana, 1,821, Wm. Thompson Co., Lake Manitowish, 878, G. P. R. Co.

Arrived today: Annie A Booth 165 A W Adams, Arthur M Gibson, 296, J. W. Smith.

EXPORTS

For Liverpool, per star Empress of Ireland: 200 cs bacon, 2 pks coffee, 17 bales rice.

MARINE NOTES

Coal steamer Warts, Captain Ritchey, arrived this morning from Sydney, C. B., with a cargo.

STORY BY ROBERTS

Charles G. D. Roberts, who writes about the backwoods and the forest kindred, and the fascinating game of trap and snare and chase, has given us one of his most robust and exciting narratives.

JOHN MCFAWN

Queens county lost one of the oldest and most respected residents in the death of John McFawn, which took place at Gaspeur on Wednesday last.

THE WORLD'S MOST FAMOUS RUBY

Baron Carver, of Lethbridge, England, possesses one of the world's most famous gems in the Carew ruby, a magnificent jewel as large as a hen's egg and far more valuable than a flawless diamond of the same size and purity.

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Victor-Berliner Gramophone

—But why not make yourself a present of a Victor-Berliner Gramophone



—which brings the best in music and vaudeville right to your home?

A child can reproduce, from a Victor-Berliner, the best music in the world, both vocal and instrumental.

The Victor-Berliner charms everyone with its clear, smooth, velvety tone, and its freedom from grating and jerking.

For Sale by JOHN FRODSHAM, Royal Hotel Billiard Parlors

TIMES DAILY PUZZLE PICTURE



January 1—New Year. Find 1907. ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE. (Left side down, in front of Indian).

THE EVENING TIMES, ST. JOHN, N. B. TUESDAY, JANUARY 1, 1907.

Upon the close of the largest year's business in our history, we wish our many friends and patrons a Happy and Prosperous New Year. F. S. THOMAS, Dufferin Block, 541 Main Street, N. E.

THORNE BROTHERS. Something for Santa Claus to Keep in Mind Ladies' Fur Lined Coats and Fur Jackets, Stoles, Throws, Muffs, Gauntlets; also Men's Fur Caps, Gauntlets, Fur Collars, Fur Coats; Children's Furs and Robes finished from the most fashionable furs, and in our usual reliable qualities, at the usual Holiday Discounts. STORE OPEN EVENINGS UNTIL AFTER CHRISTMAS. THORNE BROS. Hatters and Furriers, 93 KING ST.

WESTERN ASSURANCE CO. Assets, \$3,300,000 Losses paid since organization Over \$40,000,000. FOR SALE BY W. J. NAGLE & SON, 146-148 Charlotte Street, Corner Duke. R. W. W. FRINK, Manager, Branch St. John, N. B.

Stylish Shoes. A lady bred, dresses her feet as well as her head. The Royal Purple Shoe. is the shoe for well-dressed ladies—made in all the newest shapes—it fits perfectly. Ask your shoe man for "ROYAL PURPLE." Ames, Holden Limited - St. John, N. B.

GILBERT LANE DYE WORKS. LACE CURTAINS cleaned and done up EQUAL TO NEW. Carpets cleaned and beaten. Dyeing and scouring.

BULBS FOR HOUSE and GARDEN. P. E. CAMPBELL, Seedsman and Grower, Store 47 Germal St. Tel. 611 Greenhouses 24 Rothesay.

THE START. In life is the first dollar saved. Have YOU made YOUR Start? If not deposit ONE DOLLAR in the SAVINGS DEPARTMENT of the UNION BANK OF HALIFAX, at once. DEPOSITS Bear interest at three per cent., which interest is added to your account twice a year. Therefore your account is growing continually.

Times Classified Ads Pay. FIRE! Law Union and Crown Insurance Company. Assets, \$27,000,000.00. LOWEST CURRENT RATES. MACHUM & FOSTER, Agents, 20 Canterbury St. Phone, 699.

Another Special Lot of RINGWOOD GLOVES. FINE MAKERS. LOW PRICES. Let Us Fit You with a Pair. W. PATTERSON, 29 City Road.

LADY DURAND FOUND WASHINGTON SPORTY American Capital Was Hardly up to Her Moral Standard and Gossips Say That is Why Sir Mortimer is Leaving --- Could Not Approve of Girls Who Smoked Cigarettes or Drank Cocktails

(From our regular correspondent.) It is usual for Washington, in the midst of the Christmas holidays to be somewhat like a deserted village, but owing to the fact that the politics of members of congress are no longer bulging with railroad passes, it is not so easy for them to get away and in Washington during these holidays than for many years past. The effect of the change in the bill forbidding the issue of railroad passes is having and will have almost incalculable results and bearings. And there will doubtless be an effort to have it amended or rescinded. Journalistic wits and caricaturists are still poking fun and cartoons at members of congress, for failing to increase their salaries from \$5,000 to \$7,500, but meanwhile members and senators have had their vertebrae stiffened and it is thought that the increase may yet before the fourth of March become a law. The increase doubtless ought to be made. There has been no enlargement in the congressional allowance for thirty years, but during that time the compensation of laborers skilled and unskilled, whether hod carriers, brick layers, or carpenters, has been more than doubled and the average member of congress spends less than half of their term in the city, town or village of their constituency and receive the benefit of the other four months. But the compensation of a member of congress is measured by the commercial interests of any locality. It is justly a matter of the personal comfort and necessities of the members, with regard to themselves and their families. This great and wealthy nation cannot afford to treat its public servants with inadequate niggardly compensation. The president is off to his Virginia shanty with Mrs. Roosevelt and two of his sons. How they can enjoy that isolated cottage in this frigid weather is a mystery except to themselves. It is five or six hours over a wretched Southern railroad and then about two hours over an abominable Virginia mud pipe before they can be reached. No doubt the president finds the White House intolerable except for occasional breaks to Panama and Pine Knoll. The contrast between this place and the White House and its surroundings is about as abrupt as can be imagined and it may be that the commander-in-chief's way of pinching himself and reminding himself that he is a man as well as president, the commander-in-chief of the army and navy, peace-maker and diplomat and corporation director. The social gossip of the week has turned

SUSSEX MAN IS NEW MAYOR J. H. Bunnell, Formerly of Sussex Elected Mayor of Moose Jaw.

It will no doubt be interesting to New Brunswick people to learn that a citizen of this province was elected mayor of Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan in the elections held on December 10th at that place. J. H. Bunnell, of Sussex, N. B., was the successful candidate. Mr. Bunnell left Sussex about ten years ago and went to Moose Jaw to locate. He served for a time as alderman before announcing his candidature for the mayoralty. Mr. Bunnell married Miss McFarlane, of Glasgow, Scotland, a sister of Grover McFarlane, of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Bunnell visited St. John last week. Mayor Bunnell's majority over his opponent, J. E. Hopkins, was 93 votes. The Moose Jaw Times, of December 11th says, in its account of the contest: "All Bunnell is to be congratulated upon his election for mayor, and upon his splendidly organized campaign. His 'machine' seemed to be both 'ball-bearing' and 'automatic,' with all 'modern attachments.' He had inside and outside scrutineers, all the rigs required to get his vote out, and back again to their work, and a systematic canvass had informed him where his vote would be cast. His opponent, as stated in his address, depended upon 'the unsolicited vote' to be their undoing. The 'unsolicited vote' may be all right as a theory, but it seldom makes good in the ballot box, especially when it has organized effort against it. Had Mr. Hopkins' organization work been perfected, it might have changed the result, but certainly would have changed the majority."

G. S. MAYES CANED Captain and Crew of Dredge Beaver Give Him a Handsome Walking Stick.

A pleasant little function took place yesterday afternoon on the dredge Beaver, when the captain and crew presented to G. S. Mayes a gold mounted ebony walking stick, as a token of their regard and of the good feeling which existed between them. Mr. Mayes was invited into the dining room about 6:30 p. m., and found all hands assembled. Captain Dunlop read the following address: Dear Mr. Mayes: The undersigned men of the crew of the dredge Beaver desire, upon the completion of another year, to express to you their gratitude for the kind and liberal treatment which they have received from you during the year which has passed away. We feel proud of our machine which we operate for we know that in spite of great difficulties a record has been made and we cannot be beaten by any dredge of the size of the Beaver and its record will stand as long as it is remembered. The coming ambassador will be personally acquainted with you and we hope you will be so kind as to present you with a little souvenir from us. We are, dear sir, Yours very truly, JOHN J. DUNLOP, Captain. JAMES M. CLARKE, Foreman. J. H. BURNELL, Foreman. J. H. BURNELL, Foreman. On behalf of the crew. The captain then handed Mr. Mayes a handsome ebony case. On the gold mounting the following inscription was engraved: "G. S. Mayes, from crew of Beaver, 1906." Mr. Mayes, who was not expecting anything of the kind, thanked all present for the expression of their good will, and wished them well, finally shaking hands all round.

WILL BE BURIED IN WESTMINSTER Baroness Burdett-Coutts Will Lie Among England's Illustrious Dead.

London, Dec. 31—It is announced that the body of Baroness Burdett-Coutts, who died at her residence here yesterday, will be buried in Westminster Abbey, on Jan. 5. Messages of condolence continue to be received from all parts of the world.

OBITUARY Mrs. John O'Brien

Mrs. Bridget, wife of John O'Brien, died Monday at her residence, 180 Rockland road, aged seventy-four years. She had not been in robust health for a long time, but on Christmas eve was as well as ever. Next day, however, she contracted a cold, under which she sank rapidly until the end. She was a daughter of the late Mrs. Catherine Curran, a well known and highly respected resident of the North End. Mrs. O'Brien had also lived there all her life, and a very large circle of friends and acquaintances will be sincerely sorry to hear of her death. Her husband, who is one of the best known residents of Rockland road, is a prominent worker in connection with St. Peter's church. Besides her husband, Mrs. O'Brien is survived by one sister, Mrs. Francis O'Neill, who is also a resident of Rockland road. The funeral will be held on Thursday morning at 8.30, from the family residence.

Mrs. Alex. B. Donald

Many will extend sympathy to Alex. B. Donald in the death of his wife, which occurred yesterday after an illness of several months. Mrs. Donald was but twenty-four years of age, and daughter of Mrs. Mary Ann Hackett. Her funeral will be held from 57 Lombard street at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

TENNYSON SMITH'S SUCCESS IN NORTON

Norton, N. B., Dec. 31—Tennyson Smith's campaign in Norton has proved a great success. Each meeting since the first has been crowded and on Sunday alone 104 pledges were taken. The series closes on Tuesday night with the lecturer's famous tag-of-war. At 6 o'clock last evening the 60th meridian time was sent from the St. John Observatory to all points in the maritime provinces reached by the wires of the Western Union Telegraph Company. This has been done now for three years by Director Hutchinson, of the observatory, and is for the convenience of keepers of public clocks, jewelers, watchmakers, etc., so that they may know the exact time the new year will begin. The 60th meridian time is that used all over the maritime provinces. Write for

MR. ROCKEFELLER'S NEW YEAR'S GIFT He Gives \$3,000,000 More to Chicago University Bringing His Total Gift up to \$19,416,922.

Chicago, Dec. 31—Announcement was made tonight that John D. Rockefeller has made a gift of \$3,000,000 to the university of Chicago. This is the largest single contribution from Mr. Rockefeller to the institution, and brings his total benefactions to the university up to \$19,416,922.

A NARROW ESCAPE FROM AWFUL DEATH James Somerville, of Fairville, had a miraculous escape from being hurled into the furnace at Union Point mill Monday morning.

While he was clearing in a way that he himself cannot explain. The occurrence took place at 7 o'clock Monday morning, soon after the machinery had been started. Somerville was engaged in keeping the endless chain clear when it became blocked in some manner and stopped. While he was leaning over it to clear away the obstruction, the chain suddenly started, carrying him over the wheel. In a desperate struggle he succeeded in rolling back on to the staging alongside, when within a few feet of the sheer drop to the furnace below. It was some time before he was sufficiently recovered from the shock to make for his home. His back was injured, but last night he was reported to be better, and will likely return to work in a day or two.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR The annual business meeting and election of officers of the Ludlow street Christian Endeavor Society took place last evening in the Ludlow street Baptist church.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Mr. Campbell. The report of the last business meeting was then read and adopted. The reports of the treasurer and secretary for the year were also adopted. A nominating committee was then appointed and the following officers were elected: Miss Ethel Croesley, president; Miss King, vice-president; Mrs. Fitzpatrick, secretary; Mrs. Stewart, treasurer; Miss Mayes, organist; Mrs. Emery, Miss Thompson, Mr. Campbell, Miss King, devotional committee; Miss Mayes, Mrs. Bray, Mrs. Fitzpatrick, Miss Brittain, Hunter Parsons and Robert Stewart, lookout and social committee; Miss Croesley, Miss Mabel Deloya, Miss Ida Bray, Arthur Estabrooks and Robert Stewart, missionary committee. Miss Thompson was appointed superintendent of the junior society and Miss Jessie Croesley, assistant superintendent.

Senator King, Mrs. King, G. H. King and Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Craney, of Chipman, P. E. A. yesterday for Andover, to be present at the wedding of Dr. King and Miss

A LOCHINVAR IN REAL LIFE Young Man Who Came Out of the West to Get Woodstock Bride.

Woodstock, N. B., Dec. 31—A pretty and romantic wedding took place this afternoon at the home of the bride, when Miss Lena Burt, daughter of Wilmot Burt, of Jacksonville, was married to Norval Brittain, and the happy couple left this evening for their future home in Revelstoke (B. C.). But the departure of Mr. Brittain for the west some years ago, he was engaged to marry Miss Burt. The correspondence between the young couple continued until recently. In the meantime Miss Burt became engaged to a prominent young business man of Woodstock, and the wedding was arranged for tomorrow. An announcement card was sent to Mr. Brittain in Revelstoke. He promptly sent along some presents to the bride-elect, but just as promptly followed her to the west. Arriving here a few days ago, he arranged another date, one day prior to the proposed wedding with the Woodstock westerner. Large crowds were at the train to bid the couple bon voyage. The groom is in the employ of E. H. Hale, ex-P. of this county, now in business in British Columbia.

Timely discovery and prompt action prevented a very serious fire at 6:45 o'clock last evening. A barrel containing some ashes, standing in the alleyway between the hotels Edward and Ottawa, caught fire and before it was discovered the fire had caught on the wall of the Edward. It was noticed from the dining room window of the Ottawa, and a still alarm was sent in. No. 1 chemical engine responded, and little difficulty was experienced in extinguishing the blaze.

Head the steamship Intehoven Head, Captain Polkford, sailed last night for Dublin with a large cargo of wheat and deals.

Battle line steamship Trebia, Capt. Hilton, has been fixed to load coal at Virginia for St. Thomas at private terms.

A COUGH SYRUP that will treat a cold in a satisfactory manner must be soothing, warming, loosen the cough, and contain neither opium nor morphine.

Dr. White's Honey Balm immediately relieves the throat irritation, the tightness across the chest, and makes a quick and perfect cure. It's guaranteed safe for the smallest child. Try it. 25c. at all druggists. Dr. Scott's White Liniment Co., Ltd., St. John, N. B., and Chelmsford, Mass., manufacturers of the celebrated Dr. Harnes's Dyspepsia Cure. In bottles—write for

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TURNING OVER A NEW LEAF. With the tolling of the Bell night last night of the old year and the advent of quickly it has flown; seems cast of whiles since its is aided. But, brief though sojourn is now ended stands its youthful What we instill New Year in gently or harsh dispensation? In any earnest moment do e the

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NEW YEAR'S DAY IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

BY WALDON FAWCETT

SIX-IN-HAND WITH 20,000 VIOLETS

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The residents of Southern California are privileged by reason of their remarkable climate to adopt at the beginning of each calendar year the most novel and most enjoyable method of celebrating New Year's Day known to the American people. This ingenious plan for ushering in the new year takes the form of flower carnivals and tournaments of races held on January 1st in the various cities and towns in the Land of Sunshine.

These unique flower festivals are, it need scarcely be explained, outdoor entertainments, for whereas the first day of January is very likely to find people in other sections of the country shivering in furs and overcoats, this date in the southern part of the Golden Gate State marks the climax of the most attractive season of the year, and presents such spectacles as that of women in summer attire seated on the lawn eating oranges and fresh strawberries. Probably the choice of New Year's Day as the almost universal date for the floral carnivals is due primarily to the fact that it is a national holiday when presumably all the population will be at leisure to participate either as performers in the spectacle or as onlookers. Another reason, however, lies in the circumstance that this season marks floodtide in the tourist travel to California from other parts of the country, and since the eight-secs spend something like \$25,000,000 a year in Southern California naturally the natives are only too eager to do all in their power to emphasize the beauties of the southwestern paradise.

There is never any unseasoning as to the sort of weather Dame Nature will provide for this pre-eminent event of the year. In other sections of the country plans for a picnic, an outing or a parade, no matter at what time in the year, must be more or less contingent upon the weather for their success. Not so, however, in the aptly named Land of Sunshine. Here the hundreds and thousands of workers on behalf of the carnivals can be almost as certain that the sun will lend the aid of warm and friendly beams as they can that the momentous day will arrive as per calendar. There have been a few rare occasions when cool winds on Carnival Day slightly chilled the gauze-gowned girls in elbow sleeves, but for the most part the saving sunshine has been unflinching.

From year to year the flower tournaments in Southern California have been increasing in beauty and splendor until now it is difficult to imagine what new magnificence can be added. Indeed, these blossom festivals have within the past few years gained a world-wide reputation as the most marvelous of all winter fetes. None of the beautiful frolics of southern France and Italy, the winter diversions in Florida, nor even the glorious Mardi Gras in New Orleans and Mobile can compare in brilliancy and variety with the spectacles on the Pacific Coast on New Year's Day.

Flower fetes are held, as has been explained, in various towns and cities in Southern California, but in the main the celebrations are much alike. There is usually a program of sports, including such stirring novelties as four-horse chariot races for purses of \$1,000 or more, but the principal feature of each tournament is the great floral pageant in which schools, clubs and individuals participate with blossom-laden vehicles of every description from paper carts wholly hidden by posies to flower-bedecked automobiles and blossom-encrusted six-in-hands.

The tournament of roses, as many of the festivals are officially designated, had their inception in 1838, the annual fete at Pasadena, Cal. (now one of the most important of the carnivals) growing out of the annual entertainment of a hunt club. The original idea was to produce a combination of rose, fiesta and tournament to celebrate in a poetic and beautiful manner the ripening of the orange, which takes place in the Land of Flowers early in the new year, and is naturally an event of the first importance in that region.

The basic idea was to have an offering of flowers and fruits to express, as it were, the bounties of nature in the climatic paradise of the southwest, but this was elaborated by the addition of various features, including the battle of roses, the idea of which was gained from the event of that name in Rome, Italy, each year, and the introduction of old Spanish and Indian games suggested by the Indian fiestas which have been held at the missions of southwest California from time out of mind. In later years the exciting chariot races on circular tracks have become popular, but the floral parade, with its substantial prizes for the most novel and most beautifully adorned equipages in each class, remains the chief feature of every tournament.

THE INGLE NOOK PHILOSOPHER OF KENNEBECASIS BAY

The boy was studying "The World of Shipping," in the evening paper. "Any word from the Annie and Ladies?" asked the girl. "I see nothing of their arrival anywhere, and apparently they have not been spoken," answered the boy.

Berman Colonies

Recently reported figures of the census of Germany suggest some important considerations. The empire now has a population of 69,841,278, or three-quarters that of the United States, confined to an area of 208,000 square miles, while the area of the republic is nearly 4,000,000 sq. miles including Alaska. Encompassing Alaska has a larger area than the United States, with a population estimated at six million. These comparisons show how congested Germany is and how reasonable it is that her statesmen should look abroad for colonies, where her surplus population would add strength to the empire, instead of going to build up foreign and rival nations. But the regions beyond the seas open to German colonization are few and uninviting, and there are two reasons why attempts in that direction have not been successful. These are that the German people are lacking in the colonial instinct—the personal initiative which characterizes British colonists—and the German official plan of colonial government. In the United States and Canada German immigrants fall easily into the ways of the country of their adoption and are soon merged in the general population. In Brazil, where a distinctively German colony has been established, its success would seem to be due to the absence of German government by uniform. The situation of Germany, with its redundant population and overlying industrial development, is almost precisely the same as that of the United Kingdom when ships, colonies and commerce was the motto of her statesmen. Yet, while the German government is anxious to pursue a policy which would secure this grand triple object, it is not less anxious to prevent the German people from emigrating except as strategic colonists. The Kaiser does not want to see Germany depopulated as Italy has been. Recently he appointed an Americanized returned German to recognize the colonial department, who has inaugurated a new policy of settlement modeled on that of the western states, from which much is expected.

IN THE WORLD OF SPORT

HOCKEY

New Glasgow Men Talk on Return From Montreal. The New Glasgow hockey team passed through the city yesterday on their way home from Montreal, where they played the Montreal Wanderers for the Stanley cup. The following composed the party: J. Williams, W. Leonard, J. Marks, F. Morrison, M. Murphy, J. Musick, F. Frazer, S. Christy and J. D. MacDonald.

THE RING

Gans-Herman Fight Today. Tonopah, Nev., Dec. 31—Joe Gans, of Baltimore, lightweight champion of the world, and Herman Langfield, better known as Kid Herman, of Chicago, will meet tomorrow before the Casino Athletic Club for the championship title.

THE TURF

The official list of money winning trotters and pacers during the season of 1906 has just been compiled. The figures include not only all the Grand Circuit meetings, but the racing at Windsor, Ont., which directly preceded the opening of the Grand Circuit, and the meeting of Lexington, which followed the Grand circuit and brought the season to a close.

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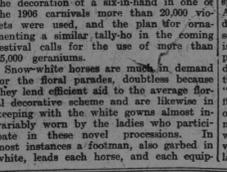
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age is attended by a vividly colored corps of outriders. Novelty of all kinds are conspicuously displayed in Southern California, and infinite time and labor is expended in devising and creating quaint conceits. The automobile has a particular boon in this sphere of fies. The favorite scheme is to equip a big touring car or one of the large touring automobiles with a boat-frame of some sort, which is then sheathed with flowers in solid multi-hued designs. Last January the school pupils at Altadena, Cal., devised an automobile float 35 feet long representing a United States battleship. The rigger of the machine was entirely hidden a mass of hanging ivy, which swept ground on both sides of the float and the desired appearance of water bent the boat. The construction of the sides the ship involved the use of 25,000 in glaziers, and 5,000 roses were banked the gun shields.

In the same parade in which the blazon battleship was a feature, the Queen's Tournament—there is always a ruler of the carnival—with her 24 maid of honor rode in a huge royal barge—flowers formed from a big motor car seating in tiers. The young wif the court were all attired in white each wore around her shoulders a B helicopter. Another essential feat every floral tournament is the "poison" which is made to embrace a Shetland and Indian ponies, but a ros, the quaint and patient burden of the Southwest. In this section procession are children of all ages or driving diminutive steeds la with profuse floral trappings. In vehicles of all kinds the who visible have the spokes entwined with flowers, sweet peas being an especially favored blossom for the decoration. To enable the dainty B present the most effective appearance sweet peas are usually plucked stems and the heads are strung strands, which when woven a spokes, make the wheel a mass. 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THE EVENING TIMES, ST. JOHN, N. B., TUESDAY JANUARY 1, 1907.

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In Many Seasonable Lines.

REDUCED PRICES on GIRLS' COATS to fit ages 6 to 10, \$1.00 to \$6.00.

REDUCED PRICES on LUSTRE BLOUSES, \$1 each and upwards. Cream, Black and Dark Mixed Colors.

REDUCED PRICES on SILK SKIRTS, Navy, Brown and Black, \$5.00.

REDUCED PRICES on SILK WAISTS, \$2.00 upwards.

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REDUCED PRICES on LADIES' BLACK CLOTH COATS.

OWLING BROTHERS,
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THE "INVICTUS" SHOE FOR MEN.



55, \$6, a Pair.

Notionally the best wearing and comfortable fitting shoe made in Canada. Dry-Sole, best for wet weather, part of every-man's outfit.

Waterbury
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EVERY KIND OF Men's Clothing

OR OUTSIDE WORK IN COLD WEATHER.

WOOLEN TOP SHIRTS... 50, 70, 75, 85, \$1.00, \$1.25, 1.45.
LINED TOP SHIRTS... .75 and 95c.
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JACKETS... .75c. to \$1.75
TERTERS... .75c. to \$1.50
JUMPERS... .75c. to \$1.75
SKIN LINED COATS... \$2.00 and \$2.75
SILK LINED COATS... \$3.00, up to \$4.50
SILK LINED OVERSOCKS... 50, 70, 85c. pair.
HATS (with a great variety of cloths)... \$1.10 to \$3.40 pair.
COATS... \$5.50, \$6.25, \$6.50 and \$7.85

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Breaks all records on land, for up-to-date styles in all leading FURS. Our holiday sets in Stone Marten, Mink, Alaska Sable, White and Grey Squirrels are worth inspection before purchasing elsewhere.

Specials in Grey Lamb for Children.
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Four Retail Stores

ARE WELL STOCKED WITH
Fresh Poultry, Game and Meats
OF ALL KINDS.

Fruits, Vegetables and Xmas Groceries.

USE YOUR ORDER EARLY.

W. S. CO., Ltd

NEW YEAR USHERED IN WITH HEAVY RAIN STORM

Weather Last Night and This Morning Was Not at All Seasonable But New Year Was Given Hearty Welcome Just the Same--Band's Played New Year in.

When citizens awakened this morning the weather gave promise of anything but a happy New Year so far as this, the first day of the year was concerned. The drizzling rain which started last night had developed into a regular downpour while the day gave promise of being a dark, dismal one.

The hearts of rink managers were made leaden by the outlook. Visions of colder weather and the chances for making ice, were dispelled and a gloom seemed to settle over everything.

The Opera House and Keith's Theatre are likely to reap a good harvest, while many house parties will endeavor to gaily inaugurate the birth of 1907.

As usual the citizens of St. John welcomed the New Year in right royal style last night and church bells, factory whistles and the sirens of tugs and liners united in a grand salute to 1907, while guns also boomed a welcome. In spite of the rain there was quite a crowd on the streets and not a few social parties were held to watch the old year out and the new year in.

In King square, St. Mary's Band played a number of tunes appropriate to the time and the Cathedral Cornet Band also assembled in their rooms to usher in the New Year with music.

There were numerous watch night services in the city churches and were all well attended in spite of the inclement state of the weather.

The weather today is in unpleasant contrast to the same day last year.

On New Year's eve, 1906, there was one inch of snow on the ground, and New Year's day was fine and cold, the highest temperature being 28 and the lowest 18. The days of the month just closed until the 10th were colder than in the same period in 1905.

On Christmas day, 1906, there were two inches of snow on the ground, with a temperature of 10 above. January, 1906, was in marked contrast to the same month in 1905, at least in one particular--there was no snow to speak of.

January 1st, 1907 was marked by exceedingly cold weather; temperatures much below zero were frequently recorded, the lowest being from 12 degrees to 40 degrees below zero, and in some localities probably lower. The snowfall also was exceptionally heavy, the storm of the 29th and 30th being the heaviest for many years, completely demoralizing railway and other traffic. Owing to the absence of thaw, the accumulation of snow was unusually deep, especially in St. John, where the snow on the streets had greater depth than had been known for more than thirty years; sleighing was good throughout the month, but roads badly drifted. The heaviest gale occurred on the 18th, with velocity of 50 miles an hour from southwest at St. John.

During December of 1906 the highest temperature was 55 degrees at Fredericton, lowest, 21 degrees at Sussex. The weather was remarkably fine and mild, and, although the snowfall was comparatively light, sleighing was good during the greater portion of the month. In all localities, temperature averages were much above last year, severe cold spells, as was possible, being infrequent. A most important storm moved into this section on the 10th, attended by the heaviest snowfall of the season, with a wind velocity of 48 miles an hour at St. John, the total wind mileage at St. John was some 500 miles less than during December, 1904.

LATE LOCALS

The Provincial Chemical Fertilizer Co. have issued a very attractive calendar, and with it a booklet on fertilizers and their use.

Gurney Division, S. of T., will have an especially interesting session on Thursday evening, and all members are urged to attend.

At the Christmas season the Rev. Thomas Marshall, pastor of Cathedral Baptist Church, was remembered by his congregation, which presented him with a substantial purse as a token of their esteem.

In connection with the wedding of Miss J. McCosh and Miss Kate E. Power, last evening, the fellow employees of Mr. McCosh in M. R. A. Ltd. presented to the bride a handsomely framed picture.

Says the Ottawa Citizen of Dec. 29th: "A large number of the congregation of the Memorial Baptist church gathered in the church at eight o'clock on Thursday night to extend a welcome to the new pastor, Rev. W. F. Parker, and his wife. Many of the city pastors were present to give addresses of welcome to the popular couple. Music was rendered by the choir at intervals between the addresses. Mrs. Parker was given a beautiful bouquet by the ladies of the church."

SMALLPOX IN PARRSBORO

Six Houses Have Been Quarantined During the Past Week.

PARRSBORO, Dec. 31--The smallpox situation is engaging the careful attention of the board of health, and every possible precaution is being made to prevent the spread of the disease. Six houses have been quarantined during the past week, and one house which had been placed under quarantine because one of the inmates had been exposed to infection, has been released. Compulsory vaccination has been ordered, and a large number of the townpeople are complaining of sore arms. Dr. H. P. Clay, county medical officer, was in town on Thursday night and yesterday, and visited the various patients. He pronounces the disease genuine smallpox, of a very mild variety. Dr. Basford, mayor of the town, has been appointed by the board of health to have charge of the smallpox patients. The churches of the town have been closed, and two entertainments which were to have been held Christmas night were indefinitely postponed.

THE COUNSEL OF THE COMMODORE (Chatham World)

Rejoice in the present, hope for the future, and let the days wear sleep in its snow-enveloped grave. We are nearly done with it. Why mourn over its sorrows? Why spoil the Christmas of today with the sour grapes of yesterday? This year will in its turn become only a memory instead of a reality. The present is all we have of time, and we should make the best of it. We can amend nothing tomorrow that we do amiss today. The business of the moment should have our chief attention and care. Goodness today will become the foundation of joy tomorrow. Stop mourning and mourning over the wrecks on the shores of the past. The dead will not come back. The broken vase cannot be mended. The wrong cannot be righted. You are helpless at the base of the pyramid. But the present is with you. Make the most of it. Do the work that is at hand. Cherish the friends who surround you. Help the needy who are within your reach. Put away the temptation to do wrong that stares you in the face. Use the dollar in hand instead of dreaming of the fortune you will have to spend in the future. Be industrious, cheerful, and thoughtful for the happiness of others, courteous to all men, if you would enjoy a happy New Year and be happy all the year.

AN ESTRAY MAIL

The mails which left St. John last Monday morning, Dec. 24, for White Head, White's Mills, Kimball's Corner, Holdenville, Carter's, Baxter's, Land's End, Milkish, Bayswater and Sea Dog Cove, Kings Co., are apparently on a vacation, having disappeared soon after leaving the city. There are rumors that they have been seen at Rothesay, Quispamsis, Perry's Point, Gannon's, Bushagornish, Leproux and various other places, but all these rumors lack verification. Whether these mails went off voluntarily, were snatched away, are under arrest, or have been abducted are questions that time only can answer. Friends who sent Christmas favors by those mails need not feel it obligatory to send duplicates.

O'HARA McLENN.
Kimball's Corner, Dec. 29.

FUNERALS

The funeral of Mrs. William Magee took place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from her late residence, St. Patrick street. Prayers for the dead were read by Rev. Father O'Keefe at the Cathedral. Interment at the new Catholic cemetery.

The funeral of William Smith took place this afternoon at 2:30 from his late residence, Spring street. Interment at Cedar Hill cemetery.

The funeral of Benjamin White took place at 12 o'clock today from his late residence, Millidgeville. Interment at White Head, Kings county.

Irvine Sproul, of Chicago, who with his wife and three children, has been spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Sproul, of Apohau, and with his sister, Mrs. James E. Earle, of St. Patrick street, left for Chicago last evening. Mr. Sproul, like his brother, F. W. Sproul, is a prosperous contractor in the western city.

New Honespuns for Costumes
New Honespuns for Long Coats

We are showing at the present time latest weaves in homespuns such as will be popular for winter or spring costumes and long coats.

The weaves include the new broken checks, shadow plaids and small checks in beautiful greys, black and white and heather mixtures. All 56 inches wide at

\$1.25, \$1.35 and \$1.50 per yard

COME TO OUR GREAT CLEARANCE SALE OF ART NEEDLEWORK ON JANUARY 2nd

The day after New Year's day. We shall offer hundreds of
CUSHION TOPS, CENTRES, COLLAR AND CUFF SETTS, ETC.

The choice of the whole lot at 25c. each. All worth 50 to 75 cents, and all are new goods. See window display of the articles in this special sale.

MACAULAY BROS. & CO.

CORSET SALE.
45 Cents a Pair.



Ten Different Styles, All Sizes, Colors: Drab and White.

We want to reduce our present stock of Corsets as much as possible, before ordering for spring. Your money back if you think this is not a money-saving offer.

I. CHESTER BROWN, 32-36 King Square.

We Must Have Room for Our Cotton Goods, and

We have decided to sell our SHAKER, FLANNELS, FLANNELETTES, VELOUR FLANNELS and CHALLIETTES at a big reduction in prices.

SHAKER FLANNELS at 5c., 6c., 7c., 8c., 10c., 12c. all nice patterns and colors, and heavy quality.

VELOUR FLANNELS at 14c., which were 22c.

VELOUR FLANNELS at 20c. which were 30c. Satin faced challiettes at 20c. yard. All this lot of goods at prices that will induce you to buy. Come and see the bargain.

ROBERT STRAIN & CO., 27 and 29 Charlotte St.

Sale of Flannelette Underwear
Starts Wednesday, 8.30.

1906 - 1907

Another Milestone!

In extending to numerous patrons and friends our cordial best wishes for their physical and financial well-being during the ensuing twelve months, allow us to express our fullest thanks for the liberal manner in which they have patronized us during the year now ended. Every effort has been put forth to merit this consideration, not only in service and modern merchandizing methods, but in the goods themselves.

"The best is none too good for St. John people," is the slogan when our personal representatives are scouring European, American and home markets selecting each season's supply, and it was with a determination to carry out this very motto that our first party of buyers left last Friday night on the "Empress of Ireland." Furthermore, friends, we promise you a year of bigger, brighter and even better shopping opportunities; all our important annual sales are yet ahead of you, not to mention a wealth of charming spring creations. Ships are unloading scores of cases marked "M.R.A. St. John," and clerks are storing them for a grand unfolding soon to come.

Again, Thanks!
Again, Best Wishes!

500 Sample Pieces For Women and Children.
Also Knitted Vests and Drawers.

A LITTLE SHOPPING FLURRY after the holiday; something to help you carry out your economy resolutions. It's another one of our sample sales; you all know how fruitful they always are in genuine bargains.

Ladies' Nightdresses, 40c., 50c., 65c., 75c., 90c., \$1.00, \$1.25—In Pink and in White Flannelette, with self and embroidery trimmings. Ample size.

Ladies' Underskirts, 25c., 30c., 35c., 50c., 60c., 65c.—Ditto as to colors and trimmings; strongly made and highly serviceable.

Ladies' Drawers, 15c., 20c., 25c., 35c.—Ditto again in colors, trimmings, etc. Elastic in legs. Generous amount of material.

Corset Covers, 15c., 25c., 30c., 45c.—Warm and snug-fitting, in Pink and White. Variety of sizes.

Children's Nightdresses and Drawers at even lower prices!

Women and Children's Knitted Undervests and Drawers, 10c. to 75c. garment.

Including a few Ladies' Combinations.

Wednesday in Ladies' Room.
—SECOND FLOOR.—

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